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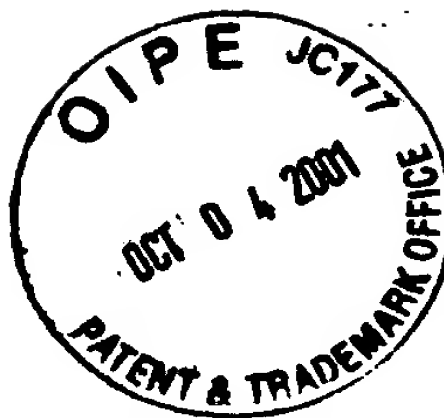
Enclosed please find nineteen (19) sheet(s) of formal drawings for review by the Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. Should the enclosed drawings require changes, it is respectfully requested that the Patent and Trademark Office notify the undersigned of same.

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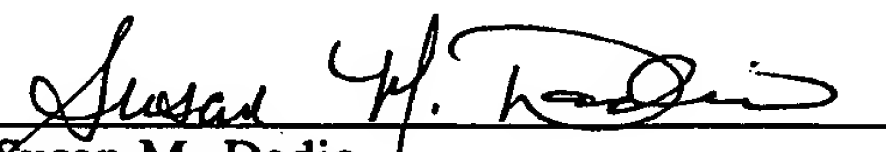
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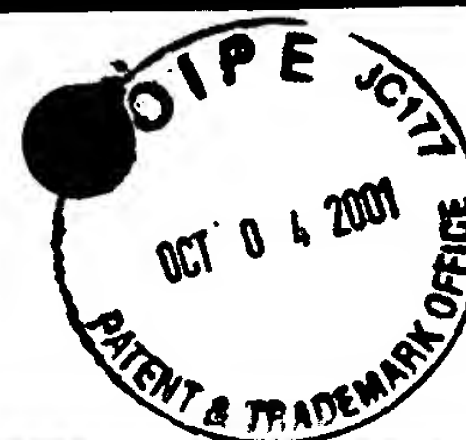
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